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COMMERCIAL RED MEAT PRODUCTION for the United States in February 1986 totaled 2.94 billion pounds (1.33 million metric tons), virtually unchanged from February 1985, according to the Crop Reporting Board. January-February red meat production, at 6.42 billion pounds (2.91 million metric tons), was up 1 percent from last year. The percentage changes from 1985 is accumulated production by individual components were: beef, up 2 percent; veal, up 9 percent; pork, down 1 percent; lamb and mutton, down 3 percent. Commercial red meat production includes slaughter in federally inspected and other plants, but excludes animals slaughtered on farms.

Kill days for both February 1985 and 1986 included 20 weekdays (one a holiday) and four Saturdays.

COMPARING FEBRUARY 1986 WITH FEBRUARY 1985

BEEF PRODUCTION, at 1.77 billion pounds (802 thousand metric tons), was virtually unchanged from the previous year. Head kill was 2.72 million, down 2 percent, however, the average live weight increased 20 pounds to 1,107.

VEAL PRODUCTION, at 40 million pounds (18.1 thousand metric tons), was up 8 percent. Calf slaughter totaled 272 thousand head, up 7 percent. The average live weight increased 2 pounds to 247.

PORK PRODUCTION, at 1.10 billion pounds (499 thousand metric tons) declined 1 percent. Hog kill, at 6.30 million head, declined 2 percent, however, the average live weight increased 1 pound to 243.

LAMB AND MUTTON PRODUCTION, at 27 million pounds (12.3 thousand metric tons), was down 4 percent. Slaughter totaled 452 thousand head, down 7 percent. The average live weight increased 3 pounds to 118.

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COMMERCIAL RED MEAT AND LARD PRODUCTION: UNITED STATES 1/

KIND	FEB 1985	JAN 1986	FEB 1986	FEB 86 % OF: FEB 1985	FEB 86 % OF: JAN 1986	JAN - FEB 1985	JAN - FEB 1986	2/ 86 AS % OF 85
	MILLION POUNDS			PERCENT		MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT
BEEF	1,768	2,139	1,769	100	83	3,834	3,909	102
VEAL	37	46	40	108	87	79	86	109
PORK	1,105	1,266	1,099	99	87	2,386	2,365	99
LAMB & MUTTON	28	31	27	96	87	60	58	97
TOTAL RED MEAT	2,938	3,482	2,935	100	84	6,359	6,417	101
LARD 3/	68	80	68	100	85	146	147	101

1/ BASED ON PACKERS DRESS WEIGHTS AND EXCLUDES FARM SLAUGHTER.
2/ACCUMULATED TOTALS BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.
3/PRELIMINARY LARD PRODUCTION INCLUDES RENDERED PORK FAT.

LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER: NUMBER AND AVERAGE WEIGHTS, UNITED STATES 1/

SPECIES	UNIT	FEB 1985	JAN 1986	FEB 1986	FEB 86 % OF: FEB 1985	FEB 86 % OF: JAN 1986	JAN - FEB 1985	JAN - FEB 1986	2/ 86 % OF 85
					PERCENT				P'CNT
CATTLE									
NUMBER									
FED.INSP.	THOU	2,661.4	3,203.9	2,612.9	98	82	5,794.9	5,816.8	100
OTHER	THOU	114.5	126.2	102.2	89	81	257.9	228.4	89
COMM'L 3/	THOU	2,775.9	3,330.1	2,715.1	98	82	6,052.8	6,045.3	100
LIVE WT/HD									
FED.INSP.	LBS	1,092	1,105	1,113	102	101	1,089	1,108	102
OTHER	LBS	963	976	968	101	99	959	972	101
COMM'L	LBS	1,087	1,100	1,107	102	101	1,083	1,103	102
CALVES									
NUMBER									
FED.INSP.	THOU	236.5	288.7	256.2	108	89	506.7	544.8	108
OTHER	THOU	16.8	18.8	15.6	93	83	34.6	34.4	99
COMM'L 3/	THOU	253.3	307.4	271.8	107	88	541.3	579.2	107
LIVE WT/HD									
FED.INSP.	LBS	230	237	235	102	99	229	236	103
OTHER	LBS	460	441	442	96	100	456	441	97
COMM'L	LBS	245	249	247	101	99	243	248	102
HOGS									
NUMBER									
FED.INSP.	THOU	6,208.1	6,968.4	6,119.9	99	88	13,322.3	13,088.3	98
OTHER	THOU	187.9	216.7	179.3	95	83	415.4	396.0	95
COMM'L 3/	THOU	6,396.0	7,185.1	6,299.2	98	88	13,737.7	13,484.4	98
LIVE WT/HD									
FED.INSP.	LBS	242	246	244	101	99	243	245	101
OTHER	LBS	235	233	234	100	100	236	233	99
COMM'L	LBS	242	246	243	100	99	243	245	101
SHEEP&LAMBS									
NUMBER									
FED.INSP.	THOU	472.8	507.1	441.3	93	87	1,017.1	948.4	93
OTHER	THOU	11.0	11.0	10.2	93	93	23.4	21.1	90
COMM'L 3/	THOU	483.8	518.1	451.5	93	87	1,040.6	969.6	93
LIVE WT/HD									
FED.INSP.	LBS	115	119	119	103	100	115	119	103
OTHER	LBS	100	97	100	100	103	99	99	100
COMM'L	LBS	115	118	118	103	100	115	118	103

1/ EXCLUDES SLAUGHTER ON FARMS.
2/ ACCUMULATED TOTALS AND PERCENTAGES BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.
3/ TOTALS MAY NOT EQUAL SUM OF THE PARTS DUE TO ROUNDING

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FEDERALLY INSPECTED RED MEAT PRODUCTION: UNITED STATES 1/

KIND	FEB 1985	JAN 1986	FEB 1986	FEB 1986 AS % OF FEB 1985	FEB 1986 AS % OF JAN 1986	JAN - FEB 2/ 1985	JAN - FEB 2/ 1986	1986 AS % OF 1985
	MILLION POUNDS			PERCENT		MILLION POUNDS		PERCENT
BEEF	1,706	2,070	1,713	100	83	3,695	3,784	102
VEAL	33	41	36	109	88	70	77	110
PORK	1,074	1,230	1,070	100	87	2,317	2,300	99
LAMB & MUTTON	27	30	26	96	87	59	57	97
TOTAL RED MEAT	2,839	3,371	2,845	100	84	6,139	6,217	101

1/ BASED ON PACKERS DRESS WEIGHTS AND EXCLUDES FARM SLAUGHTER.
2/ ACCUMULATED TOTALS BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

COMMERCIAL RED MEAT PRODUCTION BY STATE AND U.S. 1/

STATE	FEB 1985	JAN 1986	FEB 1986	FEB 86 AS % OF FEB 1985	FEB 86 AS % OF JAN 1986	JAN - FEB 3/ 1985	JAN - FEB 3/ 1986	1986 AS % OF 1985
	THOUSAND POUNDS			PERCENT		THOUSAND POUNDS		PERCENT
ALA	17,491	21,555	17,843	102	83	37,322	39,398	106
ARIZ	24,277	25,755	23,855	98	93	50,711	49,610	98
ARK	6,512	8,799	6,616	102	75	14,726	15,415	105
CALIF	111,775	116,178	95,766	86	82	242,341	211,944	87
COLO	99,715	105,262	100,115	100	95	233,690	205,377	88
DEL-MD	4,823	5,158	4,131	86	80	10,639	9,290	87
FLA	18,728	12,777	11,067	59	87	39,684	23,845	60
GA	30,015	34,405	32,765	109	95	61,708	67,170	109
HAW	3,027	3,973	3,145	104	79	6,335	7,117	112
IDAHO	41,450	52,885	43,116	104	82	91,439	96,001	105
ILL	158,779	194,676	165,761	104	85	329,044	360,437	110
IND	56,677	67,886	59,907	106	88	125,168	127,793	102
IOWA	373,914	434,225	358,658	96	83	823,061	792,884	96
KANS	338,763	442,548	378,315	112	85	707,220	820,863	116
KY	36,834	41,928	33,363	91	80	83,626	75,291	90
LA	6,581	7,113	5,930	90	83	13,510	13,043	97
MICH	92,159	104,831	87,722	95	84	204,519	192,554	94
MINN	125,192	132,140	116,809	93	88	268,768	248,949	93
MISS	26,007	33,273	28,526	110	86	61,634	61,799	100
MO	56,271	73,909	59,484	106	80	124,159	133,393	107
MONT	3,412	1,783	1,302	38	73	9,479	3,084	33
NEBR	356,845	417,814	353,649	99	85	760,432	771,462	101
NEV	421	457	317	75	69	817	774	95
N ENG 2/	5,629	6,521	5,341	95	82	12,361	11,862	96
N J	10,530	13,074	12,136	115	93	20,589	25,210	122
N MEX	5,833	8,670	7,014	120	81	13,252	15,684	118
N Y	13,482	15,798	13,437	100	85	28,600	29,235	102
N C	35,220	44,953	36,674	104	82	77,264	81,628	106
N DAK	7,838	10,208	6,697	85	66	17,721	16,905	95
OHIO	82,083	88,491	72,797	89	82	178,207	161,288	91
OKLA	25,188	39,552	29,316	116	74	57,138	68,868	121
OREG	6,947	7,981	5,999	86	75	15,299	13,980	91
PA	69,377	86,373	71,855	104	83	149,691	158,228	106
S C	11,091	13,371	11,202	101	84	24,845	24,573	99
S DAK	78,677	100,820	83,403	106	83	175,032	184,222	105
TENN	50,572	56,691	47,923	95	85	108,980	104,614	96
TEX	316,479	373,113	306,110	97	82	683,968	679,223	99
UTAH	21,219	24,825	22,857	108	92	44,225	47,683	108
VA	58,111	72,416	64,163	110	89	123,244	136,579	111
WASH	54,122	66,325	55,680	103	84	120,040	122,006	102
W VA	1,835	2,082	1,504	82	72	4,319	3,586	83
WISC	93,862	110,740	93,069	99	84	202,893	203,809	100
WYO	519	319	236	45	74	1,122	555	49
U.S.	2,938,282	3,481,656	2,935,574	100	84	6,358,820	6,417,230	101

1/ INCLUDES TOTAL BEEF, VEAL, PORK, AND LAMB AND MUTTON.
2/ NEW ENGLAND INCLUDES CONNECTICUT, MAINE, MASSACHUSETTS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, RHODE ISLAND, AND VERMONT. 3/ ACCUMULATED TOTALS BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA

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COMMERCIAL CATTLE SLAUGHTER 1/

STATE	FEBRUARY				JANUARY-FEBRUARY 3/			
	NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT		NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT	
	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986
	1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS		1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS	
ALA	16.9	21.2	17,226	22,201	35.9	46.0	36,593	47,787
ARIZ	33.4	31.9	34,491	33,546	69.7	67.1	71,883	70,321
ARK	5.3	5.1	4,666	4,670	12.4	11.4	10,637	10,319
CALIF	124.0	104.3	138,718	117,704	270.7	235.6	301,444	265,446
COLO	136.6	136.8	149,728	149,554	315.8	281.7	346,314	306,730
DEL-MD	4.6	4.1	5,151	4,753	10.4	9.5	11,674	10,757
FLA	30.3	16.8	29,808	16,940	65.6	37.6	63,961	36,890
GA	19.0	18.3	17,018	16,699	38.3	40.5	34,536	36,958
HAW	4.6	5.0	4,418	4,682	9.8	11.3	9,386	10,722
IDAHO	60.1	63.8	69,256	72,384	133.3	143.0	153,185	162,617
ILL	91.4	89.5	99,348	98,676	196.3	203.3	212,826	224,495
IND	14.5	13.1	14,662	13,258	32.9	30.0	33,184	30,767
IOWA	141.7	134.1	156,843	151,277	324.6	306.0	358,360	343,337
KANS	459.0	505.4	507,984	569,628	966.7	1,101.4	1,063,729	1,238,280
KY	12.3	9.6	11,027	8,111	29.9	21.5	27,031	18,217
LA	4.2	3.0	3,780	2,670	9.7	7.1	8,976	6,155
MICH	40.5	29.7	45,281	36,821	93.4	69.1	104,793	82,893
MINN	80.8	76.9	95,448	90,838	178.6	176.1	208,729	206,266
MISS	17.4	16.8	15,368	16,234	37.2	38.3	32,829	36,727
MO	31.8	29.0	31,340	29,359	75.1	74.2	72,729	74,484
MONT	4.8	1.7	5,336	1,800	14.4	4.0	15,432	4,271
NEBR	446.2	432.0	499,124	485,095	962.2	958.2	1,070,533	1,069,794
NEV	.6	.5	667	523	1.1	1.1	1,287	1,260
N ENG 2/	7.3	6.7	7,702	7,266	15.9	15.1	16,709	16,256
N J	7.2	8.6	9,149	10,742	12.6	17.6	15,924	22,150
N MEX	8.7	9.7	8,641	10,297	19.9	22.3	20,732	23,871
N Y	16.0	15.5	18,953	18,547	33.7	33.9	39,744	40,249
N C	11.3	11.2	10,415	10,603	23.9	24.9	21,844	23,322
N DAK	12.4	10.0	13,615	10,879	28.7	26.8	30,698	28,515
OHIO	41.3	38.4	45,869	43,284	92.1	89.0	101,463	100,519
OKLA	37.8	44.0	38,797	45,861	87.8	103.7	89,238	108,757
OREG	7.1	5.5	8,336	6,464	16.2	13.2	18,553	15,619
PA	69.9	77.0	83,326	92,017	153.5	175.3	180,489	209,272
S C	8.5	8.1	8,841	8,534	17.5	17.2	18,004	18,137
S DAK	54.2	57.1	60,946	65,433	122.1	131.5	137,010	148,734
TENN	22.0	17.1	22,146	17,193	47.3	38.7	47,491	38,485
TEX	484.4	443.7	484,318	464,118	1,044.0	988.3	1,047,346	1,033,429
UTAH	27.0	29.4	30,501	32,944	56.2	61.0	63,196	67,939
VA	7.6	6.6	7,688	7,002	18.5	15.7	18,887	16,363
WASH	74.5	77.1	85,733	89,872	165.5	169.8	191,680	196,743
W VA	2.0	1.7	2,098	1,720	5.2	4.2	5,125	4,124
WISC	96.2	98.9	112,448	115,925	206.8	222.0	240,459	260,407
WYO	.7	.3	687	343	1.5	.8	1,590	798
U S	2,775.9	2,715.1	3,016,895	3,006,467	6,052.8	6,045.3	6,556,236	6,669,187

1/ INCLUDES SLAUGHTER UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION AND OTHER COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER, EXCLUDES FARM SLAUGHTER.

2/ NEW ENGLAND INCLUDES MAINE, NEW HAMPSHIRE, VERMONT, MASSACHUSETTS, RHODE ISLAND AND CONNECTICUT. COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER NOT ESTIMATED IN ALASKA.

3/ ACCUMULATED TOTALS BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

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COMMERCIAL CALF SLAUGHTER 1/

STATE	FEBRUARY				JANUARY-FEBRUARY 3/			
	NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT		NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT	
	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986
	1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS		1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS	
ALA	.1	.2	44	48	.2	.3	94	107
ARIZ								
ARK	.1		64		.3	.3	130	110
CALIF	21.8	27.0	3,608	4,530	46.3	55.5	7,697	9,284
COLO								
DEL-MD	3.4	2.3	1,199	828	6.8	5.1	2,396	1,871
FLA	10.2	9.9	2,443	2,412	20.8	22.5	4,718	5,332
GA	1.4	.4	507	105	3.1	.6	1,128	170
HAW								
IDAHO	.2	.2	46	115	.5	.4	159	159
ILL	16.4	16.3	3,605	3,826	34.0	35.3	7,546	8,218
IND	17.6	19.4	6,615	6,871	35.6	38.2	13,396	13,556
IOWA								
KANS								
KY	.1	.1	16	17	.2	.2	58	44
LA	12.3	12.9	5,937	6,019	24.7	28.3	11,741	13,258
MICH	7.9	7.4	2,066	2,226	16.5	17.4	4,297	5,280
MINN	.3	.3	69	51	.7	.6	152	122
MISS	.6	2.8	284	569	1.4	7.6	633	1,529
MO	.7	.7	201	181	1.5	1.6	470	412
MONT								
NEBR								
NEV								
N ENG 2/	13.2	14.2	1,506	1,568	29.3	28.8	3,326	3,262
N J	8.5	10.7	2,727	3,737	19.6	23.6	6,413	8,022
N MEX								
N Y	43.9	42.8	6,348	5,651	94.1	90.1	13,693	11,992
N C	.2	.2	64	58	.5	.6	153	167
N DAK					.1	.1	25	21
OHIO	5.6	8.5	2,366	3,520	12.7	20.6	5,256	8,572
OKLA	.2	.2	81	110	.3	.5	153	202
OREG	.8	.8	286	335	1.6	1.8	569	726
PA	22.7	22.2	3,893	3,652	50.2	48.1	8,434	8,065
S C	3.6	2.1	1,349	773	7.2	4.7	2,654	1,776
S DAK								
TENN								
TEX	16.6	19.1	6,862	9,218	35.8	42.3	14,745	19,596
UTAH						.1		39
VA	.5	.3	187	107	1.6	.6	636	195
WASH	7.5	9.1	1,140	1,742	15.4	19.2	2,280	3,860
W VA								
WISC	31.6	33.9	7,460	7,846	68.8	68.0	16,590	15,736
WYO								
U S 4/	253.3	271.8	62,034	67,208	541.3	579.2	131,737	143,905

1/ INCLUDES SLAUGHTER UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION AND OTHER COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER, EXCLUDES FARM SLAUGHTER.

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3/ ACCUMULATED TOTALS BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

4/ STATES WITH NO DATA PRINTED ARE STILL INCLUDED IN THE U.S. TOTAL. DATA NOT PRINTED TO AVOID DISCLOSING INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.

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COMMERCIAL HOG SLAUGHTER 1/

STATE	FEBRUARY				JANUARY-FEBRUARY 3/			
	NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT		NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT	
	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986
	1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS		1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS	
ALA	37.2	20.6	10,908	6,805	78.7	49.2	23,395	16,046
ARIZ	19.9	21.0	4,422	4,672	42.7	41.5	9,523	9,161
ARK	18.1	19.1	6,299	6,444	41.4	45.1	14,126	15,391
CALIF	152.1	135.4	34,370	30,303	330.5	293.7	75,356	66,390
COLO	10.9	10.4	2,489	2,386	43.6	22.8	9,965	5,252
DEL-MD	5.2	4.2	1,292	1,084	11.2	9.6	2,773	2,341
FLA	6.0	5.8	1,307	1,129	13.5	13.2	2,876	2,388
GA	125.6	141.7	29,240	33,549	258.1	281.7	60,329	66,570
HAW	3.4	3.3	654	628	6.7	6.8	1,281	1,296
IDAHO	7.4	7.6	1,738	1,806	16.1	15.7	3,795	3,765
ILL	543.5	579.3	132,351	140,879	1,099.1	1,225.7	269,514	297,779
IND	264.2	288.7	63,028	68,850	583.9	608.9	139,709	146,128
IOWA	1,589.0	1,483.8	382,429	367,430	3,429.6	3,236.5	832,784	806,702
KANS	127.6	117.9	33,999	30,297	258.1	251.0	69,595	65,784
KY	170.4	160.9	43,296	40,542	380.5	360.5	96,794	91,694
LA	6.4	5.3	1,503	1,334	13.3	11.0	3,077	2,766
MICH	392.4	395.9	94,115	93,613	856.5	857.0	206,020	202,815
MINN	404.3	375.9	97,360	88,792	858.3	755.7	207,220	178,833
MISS	115.4	124.4	26,576	28,771	279.7	263.5	65,105	61,430
MO	224.7	247.3	55,492	61,493	482.7	528.0	120,052	132,419
MONT	2.2	2.0	535	468	4.8	4.5	1,178	1,057
NEBR	375.8	376.9	85,450	86,786	787.6	800.0	180,458	185,216
NEV	.3	.2	65	32	.6	.6	124	95
N ENG 2/	4.9	4.9	1,158	1,115	11.2	10.6	2,646	2,465
N J	24.0	25.2	5,044	5,327	50.4	52.1	10,600	11,030
N MEX	.7	.3	150	73	1.3	.7	287	150
N Y	4.4	8.4	1,034	1,903	9.6	19.0	2,269	4,600
N C	178.6	185.1	41,782	43,595	393.0	411.9	92,464	97,420
N DAK	5.8	6.7	1,226	1,515	13.0	14.6	2,782	3,219
OHIO	319.4	265.7	75,749	64,741	687.2	575.6	163,235	139,712
OKLA	11.0	10.7	3,670	3,650	24.0	22.1	7,998	7,428
OREG	13.9	14.5	3,339	3,416	30.0	32.0	7,278	7,646
PA	136.4	119.7	31,884	28,049	287.9	251.6	67,660	58,689
S C	35.4	39.7	8,434	9,274	84.9	87.9	20,355	20,829
S DAK	238.3	251.4	59,637	64,029	521.7	539.5	132,403	139,460
TENN	202.6	203.2	55,419	55,597	432.5	437.3	119,395	120,734
TEX	82.6	94.5	22,211	24,918	178.4	202.5	47,767	53,569
UTAH	14.6	14.9	3,447	3,558	31.9	34.5	7,544	8,256
VA	324.1	353.3	75,365	81,832	674.5	745.0	157,693	173,389
WASH	3.7	2.5	859	622	8.4	5.3	1,943	1,273
W VA	2.2	1.8	876	744	4.9	4.2	1,908	1,738
WISC	190.8	168.3	45,795	40,638	414.5	354.8	100,044	85,942
WYO	.7	.3	158	78	1.4	.8	323	186
U S	6,396.0	6,299.2	1,546,158	1,532,771	13,737.7	13,484.4	3,341,641	3,299,053

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COMMERCIAL SHEEP AND LAMB SLAUGHTER 1/

STATE	FEBRUARY				JANUARY-FEBRUARY 3/			
	NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT		NUMBER SLAUGHTERED		TOTAL LIVE WEIGHT	
	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986
	1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS		1,000 HEAD		1,000 POUNDS	
ALA								
ARIZ	.1	.1	11	12	.2	.2	27	21
ARK	.1		8		.1	.1	15	14
CALIF	100.6	77.3	12,084	9,495	205.1	152.4	24,222	18,414
COLO	96.7	100.0	11,340	11,923	223.7	216.0	26,169	26,388
DEL-MD	1.6	1.1	172	117	3.8	2.4	401	259
FLA	.1	.1	5	6	.1	.1	6	8
GA					.1	.1	7	8
HAW								
IDAHO	.4	.3	38	31	.8	.7	90	77
ILL	18.3	21.2	2,233	2,634	37.4	48.3	4,496	5,958
IND	.4	.5	40	45	1.2	1.2	116	117
IOWA	60.8	46.6	7,341	5,722	140.2	108.6	16,811	13,202
KANS	.3	21.3	35	2,747	.6	41.6	73	5,431
KY	.6	.6	72	74	1.2	1.2	142	139
LA	.4	.6	48	64	.6	.7	68	78
MICH	21.8	13.4	2,504	1,477	48.1	34.9	5,470	3,964
MINN	31.5	24.6	3,766	2,960	69.5	57.0	8,264	6,847
MISS								
MO	1.9	1.2	195	144	3.9	2.5	415	288
MONT	.2	.1	15	12	.4	.3	38	39
NEBR	.2	.2	25	21	.4	.5	52	55
NEV	.1	.1	15	8	.3	.2	34	20
N ENG 2/	1.3	1.3	125	131	3.1	3.0	300	312
N J	2.5	2.1	257	213	5.5	5.1	570	510
N MEX	13.8	18.8	1,557	2,165	22.8	34.9	2,509	4,064
N Y	3.0	3.1	322	308	5.9	6.3	602	657
N C	.1	.1	8	5	.2	.1	13	11
N DAK	.1	.1	8	6	.1	.1	15	14
OHIO	.9	1.0	107	99	2.2	2.3	242	234
OKLA	.3	.2	39	30	.7	.5	83	56
OREG	.7	.4	72	39	1.3	.8	144	96
PA	11.0	7.6	1,170	848	24.3	16.8	2,581	1,861
S C								
S DAK	36.6	28.7	4,305	3,527	78.5	61.3	9,131	7,391
TENN								
TEX	60.7	50.4	5,579	5,385	124.3	109.8	12,218	11,615
UTAH	1.9	4.4	215	473	4.1	8.8	476	950
VA	.4	12.3	36	1,354	.7	25.3	70	2,726
WASH	13.8	11.6	1,584	1,372	27.8	24.5	3,222	2,889
W VA	.2	.1	16	6	.3	.1	26	13
WISC	.3	.2	28	22	.7	.5	74	57
WYO	.1		9		.2	.2	24	18
U S	483.8	451.5	55,391	53,493	1,040.6	969.6	119,224	114,811

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LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER, AVERAGE LIVE WEIGHT PER HEAD, FEBRUARY 1985 AND 1986 1/

STATE	CATTLE		CALVES		HOGS		SHEEP AND LAMBS	
	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986
	POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS		POUNDS	
ALA	1,020	1,046	376	312	293	330		
ARIZ	1,034	1,051			222	222	111	99
ARK	882	913	430		349	337	117	
CALIF	1,119	1,129	166	168	226	224	120	123
COLO	1,096	1,093			228	229	117	119
DEL-MD	1,121	1,148	352	364	249	257	104	105
FLA	985	1,008	239	243	218	195	85	91
GA	898	913	356	248	233	237		
HAW	954	944			193	189		
IDAHO	1,153	1,135	238	503	235	237	108	109
ILL	1,087	1,103	220	234	244	243	122	124
IND	1,009	1,012	376	354	239	238	93	99
IOWA	1,107	1,128			241	248	121	123
KANS	1,107	1,127			266	257	117	129
KY	897	842	246	262	254	252	116	116
LA	909	892	483	468	234	251	113	115
MICH	1,119	1,238	261	303	240	236	115	111
MINN	1,181	1,182	212	205	241	236	119	121
MISS	885	968	457	201	230	231		
MO	985	1,013	287	261	247	249	104	122
MONT	1,118	1,067			244	233	101	112
NEBR	1,118	1,123			227	230	123	112
NEV	1,125	1,158			248	193	121	119
N ENG 2/	1,062	1,079	114	110	236	228	96	100
N J	1,270	1,256	321	348	210	212	103	99
N MEX	997	1,063			223	212	112	115
N Y	1,182	1,195	145	132	235	226	106	101
N C	922	946	286	269	234	236	97	84
N DAK	1,098	1,092			213	225	110	96
OHIO	1,110	1,127	424	416	237	244	114	103
OKLA	1,025	1,041	475	498	335	342	112	130
OREG	1,167	1,176	337	405	240	235	109	111
PA	1,193	1,195	172	165	234	234	107	112
S C	1,039	1,048	376	373	238	234		
S DAK	1,124	1,146			250	255	117	123
TENN	1,006	1,006			273	274		
TEX	1,000	1,046	414	483	269	264	92	107
UTAH	1,132	1,120			236	239	111	107
VA	1,006	1,054	374	353	233	232	90	110
WASH	1,151	1,166	152	191	235	253	115	119
W VA	1,033	1,033			402	412	95	101
WISC	1,169	1,172	236	232	240	241	99	105
WYO	1,023	1,006			237	237	112	
U S	1,087	1,107	245	247	242	243	114	118

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FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER AS PERCENT OF TOTAL COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER BY SPECIES, U.S.

SPECIES	FEB 1985	JAN 1986	FEB 1986	JAN - FEB 1985	JAN - FEB 1986
				PERCENT	
CATTLE	95.9	96.2	96.2	95.7	96.2
CALVES	93.4	93.9	94.3	93.6	94.1
HOGS	97.1	97.0	97.2	97.0	97.1
SHEEP	97.7	97.9	97.7	97.7	97.8

CLASSIFICATION OF LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, U.S.

ITEM	FEB 1985	JAN 1986	FEB 1986	JAN - FEB1/ 1985	JAN - FEB1/ 1986	FEB 1985	JAN 1986	FEB 1986	JAN-FEB1/ 1985	JAN-FEB1/ 1986
	1,000 HEAD					PERCENT OF TOTAL				
CLASS 2/										
CATTLE										
STEERS	1,237	1,458	1,222	2,693	2,680	46.5	45.4	46.8	46.5	46.1
HEIFERS	821	951	819	1,741	1,770	30.9	29.7	31.3	30.0	30.4
DAIRY COWS 7/	554	314	244	1,254	558	20.8	9.8	9.3	21.7	9.6
OTHER COWS		422	282		704		13.2	10.8		12.1
BULLS & STAGS	49	59	46	107	106	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8
TOTAL 1/	2,661	3,204	2,613	5,795	5,817	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
HOGS										
BARROW & GILTS	5,863	6,561	5,784	12,569	12,345	94.4	94.1	94.5	94.4	94.4
SOWS	279	342	279	619	621	4.5	4.9	4.6	4.6	4.7
STAGS & BOARS	66	66	56	135	123	1.1	1.0	.9	1.0	.9
TOTAL 1/	6,208	6,968	6,120	13,322	13,088	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
SHEEP										
MATURE SHEEP	27	25	21	54	46	5.8	4.9	4.8	5.3	4.8
LAMBS & YRLNGS	445	482	420	963	902	94.2	95.1	95.2	94.7	95.2
TOTAL 1/	473	507	441	1,017	948	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHT: 3/	-------POUNDS-------									
CATTLE	643	649	658	640	653					
STEERS 4/	710	719	721	708	720					
HEIFERS 4/	627	637	643	625	640					
ALL COWS 4/	510	516	529	507	522					
BULLS & STAGS4/	785	780	805	772	792					
CALVES& VEALERS	141	144	143	140	144					
HOGS	173	177	175	174	176					
BARROWS& GLTS5/	167	170	169	168	170					
SOWS 5/	295	305	304	297	304					
STAGS & BOARS5/	205	203	207	208	205					
SHEEP	58	60	60	58	60					
MATURE SHEEP 6/	57	57	57	57	57					
LAMBS &YRLNGS6/	58	60	60	58	60					

1/ TOTALS AND PERCENTAGES BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.
2/ SPECIES TOTALS AND CLASSIFICATION REPORTED BY MEAT INSPECTORS,FOD,FSIS.
3/ BASED ON PACKER REPORTS.
4/ INCLUDED IN CATTLE AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHT.
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U.S. FEDERALLY INSPECTED SLAUGHTER BY REGIONS
FEBRUARY 1986

STANDARD FEDERAL REGIONS 1/	CATTLE						CALVES
	TOTAL 2/	STEERS	HEIFERS	DAIRY COWS	OTHER COWS	BULLS & STAGS	TOTAL 2/
	THOUSAND HEAD						
1 3/							
2	30.1	6.4	1.3	20.0	1.1	1.3	67.8
3	84.2	27.6	9.2	35.3	9.3	2.8	24.7
4	103.4	15.6	17.1	22.3	42.0	6.4	17.8
5	312.4	118.9	65.8	84.8	34.8	8.2	85.2
6	487.5	245.9	157.7	15.0	58.2	10.8	18.7
7	1080.4	578.0	397.8	21.4	75.1	8.2	.4
8	229.5	79.8	111.7	7.3	26.6	4.2	.0
9	139.7	80.4	15.4	25.9	15.6	2.4	31.5
10	145.6	69.3	42.7	12.2	19.1	2.4	10.1
U.S. 2/	2612.9	1221.9	818.6	244.2	281.7	46.5	256.2

STANDARD FEDERAL REGIONS 1/	HOGS				SHEEP		
	TOTAL 2/	BARRWS & GILTS	SOWS	STAGS & BOARS	TOTAL 2/	MATURE SHEEP	LAMBS & YEARLING
	THOUSAND HEAD						
1 3/							
2	37.7	37.1	.5	.1	6.2	1.5	4.5
3	475.2	457.0	13.7	4.5	20.7	.6	20.1
4	806.2	740.8	60.7	4.7	.7	.2	.5
5	2014.6	1934.1	65.4	15.1	57.0	3.6	53.4
6	110.6	86.2	20.8	3.5	66.7	3.4	63.3
7	2213.3	2098.5	86.8	28.0	67.9	5.6	62.3
8	282.2	252.6	29.4	.2	132.8	3.3	129.6
9	156.0	154.6	1.3	.1 4/			
10	24.2	23.1	1.0	.1	89.4	2.8	86.6
U.S. 2/	6119.9	5784.1	279.5	56.4	441.3	21.0	420.3

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JAN-FEB 1986 *

STANDARD FEDERAL REGIONS 1/	CATTLE: TOTAL 2/	STEERS	HEIFERS	DAIRY COWS	OTHER COWS	BULLS & STAGS	CALVES: TOTAL 2/
	THOUSAND HEAD						
1 3/							
2	64.9	13.8	3.1	39.6	5.6	2.8	142.4
3	192.3	58.0	18.7	80.1	29.2	6.2	53.6
4	229.9	32.1	38.1	50.8	94.9	14.1	40.7
5	709.3	269.6	146.0	180.9	94.6	18.3	178.9
6	1095.1	538.7	357.8	38.6	135.3	24.7	42.0
7	2396.8	1279.8	852.0	60.0	186.4	18.7	1.0
8	492.6	160.7	233.7	19.2	70.0	9.0	.1
9	311.3	177.0	28.5	60.0	39.4	6.4	64.9
10	324.7	149.9	91.7	29.1	48.2	5.7	21.3
U.S. 2/	5816.8	2679.5	1769.6	558.3	703.5	105.9	544.8

STANDARD FEDERAL REGIONS 1/	HOGS: TOTAL 2/	BARRWS & GILTS	SOWS	STAGS & BOARS	SHEEP: TOTAL2/	MATURE SHEEP	LAMBS & YEARLING
	THOUSAND HEAD						
1 3/							
2	79.7	75.7	1.0	3.0	13.6	3.9	9.7
3	1001.0	962.0	29.4	9.6	43.8	1.2	42.7
4	1735.9	1589.5	136.9	9.6	1.3	.4	1.0
5	4246.1	4087.4	129.7	29.0	135.7	7.3	128.3
6	242.7	187.1	46.9	8.6	140.)	7.9	132.2
7	4787.8	4526.2	199.8	61.8	150.4	12.1	138.4
8	608.8	535.2	73.1	.5	285.4	7.0	278.4
9	334.4	331.8	2.2	.3 4/			
10	52.1	49.8	2.1	.2	178.2	6.3	171.9
U.S. 2/	13088.3	12344.6	621.0	122.7	948.4	46.0	902.4

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